

TEXAS SHUTS DOWN OIL

Watermelon Queen Contest to Start For District Fair

Counties to Elect Maids From Whom Queen Will Be Chosen

EVENT IS SEPT. 22

Famous Truck Product to Be Honored Second Day of Fair

Watermelon Jubilee Day—September 22—will be one of the big events of the Southwest Arkansas Fair which is to be held in Hope September 21 to 26 inclusive.

It is the aim of the Fair management to embody in the program for this day the main features of the annual Watermelon Festival program, and it extends an invitation to the people of the entire state to attend and participate in this annual harvest festival.

Queen to Preside

One of the features of the program will be the Coronation Ceremonies during which Miss Southwest Arkansas will be crowned Queen. Contests will be held in the several counties comprising this district in which the various county representatives will be chosen.

The winners in these contests will be known as: Miss Hempstead, Miss Lafayette, Miss Columbia, Miss Nevada, Miss Miller and Miss Howard. One of his group will be chosen as Miss Southwest Arkansas in the final contest.

The other county representatives will serve as Maids of Honor to the Queen. The Queen will be chosen by a group of non-resident judges who know none of the contestants. The local county representatives will be chosen by a similar method of selecting their representatives. Nominations from Hempstead county will be received at the Chamber of Commerce offices this week.

Another feature of the program will be a watermelon feast at which all visitors will be served a slice of the famous Hope watermelons. As in the past, this is expected to prove one of the most popular features of the program.

To Hold Melon Show

A Watermelon Show in which hundreds of mammoth melons will be displayed will be another big feature of the Watermelon Jubilee Day program. The Fair management expects to announce within the next few days a number of attractive cash premiums in addition to the regular premiums published in the fair catalog and it is that the champion melon of the season will be ready for displaying at this time.

Entertainment features of the program will include horse races, free acts, midway attractions and a grand display of fireworks at night.

Lured From Home, Kicked, Leg Broken

Kavanaugh Oldham Tells Officers Kansas City Detectives Responsible

LITTLE ROCK—Police Sunday night were seeking a man who lured Kavanaugh Oldham out of his home at 1512 Prospect avenue and attacked him, breaking Oldham's left leg by kicking him.

Oldham told police his assailant was a private detective living in Kansas whom he formerly had employed for an investigation. He said the detective was accompanied by two other men, one of whom was sent to Oldham's door to call him out.

The messenger asked Oldham if he knew a certain man living in Fort Smith. Oldham said he didn't, whereupon the man said, "Well, there's a man out there in the car who says he knows you. He wants to see you."

Oldham went out and the detective assaulted him. The victim did not expect to be attacked, but he was taken to police by the detective, except to say there had been a disagreement over the work the detective had been employed to do.

Police obtained the license number of the detective's car and a description of him. Oldham's leg was set at home by a physician.

Man Jumps From Wagon, Is Struck by Auto

MOUHTAIN HOME, Ark.—(AP)—Earl Gill, 35, was fatally injured Saturday night when he was struck by an automobile driven by W. M. Moore of Williamsburg, Ky. Moore was exonerated.

Gill was riding on a wagon. An acquaintance hailed him and he jumped from the wagon in the path of the car. Moore started for a hospital with Gill, but he died en route. His mother, a brother and a sister survive.

Berlin's "Prettiest American" Weds



The "prettiest American girl in Berlin"—that's how Peggy Norman was known. Now she's Frau Peggy Szekely, bride of a man high in German financial circles, and here you see her in her newest gay portrait.

Assessment Board In Session Here

Equalization Board to Be at Hope City Hall a Week or More

The Hempstead County Equalization Board met at the courthouse in Washington Monday morning, organized and moved to Hope city hall to begin its periodic investigation of property assessments.

It will be in session in Hope for a week or more. As soon as County Assessor John Ridgill completed his assessment report and filed it with County Clerk Arthur Anderson, the latter presented it to the Equalization Board for review. Under the law, persons whose property may be subject to a revised assessment will be notified to appear personally before the board for questioning. All taxpayers are free to discuss assessments with the board.

Bob Crittigan, of Ozon, is chairman; and Carl Stuart, of Washington, is secretary. Other members of the board are A. H. Wade, of Blewins, and Ed Velvin, of Washington.

Divergent Views On Prohi Issue

Both Wet and Dry Leaders Are Claiming Public Sentiment

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Two of the country's major wet and dry organizations Sunday stood sponsor for conflicting claims the people of the United States were two to one against prohibition and three to one in favor of it.

Attacking a recent statement by the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, which said anti-prohibition sentiment was double that for prohibition, F. Scott McBride, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, said in a telegram from his summer headquarters at Little Point Sable, Mich., that the association was "tragically wrong" in its claim.

The prohibition laws remain upon the statute books not because the dry leaders of the country are such supermen as represented by their wet opponents," McBride said, "but because the overwhelming majority of the American people want even more prohibition than they have today."

McBride said he believed the "wets are right in their statement just broadcast to the effect that no pussyfoot can win the next election."

"The impotence of the wet group to secure modification or repeal of national prohibition," he said, "seems to be based upon a growing recognition of the fact that the longer prohibition remains on the statute the better the quality of its observance, as well as the quality of its enforcement."

Bulletins

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(AP)—Attorneys for Rogers Caldwell, sentenced to serve not more than three years on a fraudulent breach of trust charge, Monday filed affidavits accusing jurors of prejudice against Caldwell. The affidavits were offered in support of attorney's motion for a new trial. The hearing on the motion is set for August 23.

NEMURO, Japan.—(AP)—A radio message from Paramushiro Island picked up here Monday by the Ochikuni wireless station indicated that Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh are still at Petropavlovsk, where they are studying weather reports. There was no intimation when the couple would start their hop to Nemuro.

PARAGOULD.—(AP)—Mrs. Ida Arnold, 65, of Walcott, was killed and six persons were injured Monday in the overturning of a truck near here. The truck hit loose gravel and the driver lost control.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Delegates from several Arkansas cities appeared before the subcommittee of the Federal Board on Hospitalization Monday urging that the new Veterans Hospital for that state be located in their respective towns.

14 Crack Shots in Guard Company A

63 Return to Hope From Summer Camp at Little Rock

Hope's National Guard company returned home Sunday from the annual encampment at Camp McRae, Little Rock, with the largest collection of marksmanship honors in its history.

The 60 men and 8 officers of Company A, 153d Infantry, detrained from the Missouri Pacific special here Sunday noon.

Fourteen out of the 63 members distinguished themselves on the rifle range, against only three crack shots reported last year. Morris O'Neal scored a total of 215 to qualify as a sharpshooter, while 13 others obtained marksmanship honors, as follows: Tom Massey 193, Eben Eason 185, Leo Hicks 201, John Hicks 212, Jack Beatty 195, Edward Bader 197, Nowlin Wylie 202, Jim Stroud 190, Robert Stuart 206, Herbert Hicks 193, Ralph State 211, Frank Russell 204, and Herbert Hardin 193.

Company B, from Magnolia, also in the battalion commanded by Maj. Basil Newton of Little Rock, formerly of Hope, was judged the best dressed unit at the encampment.

Nevada Co. Man Is Found Dead in Bed

G. W. Bennett Succumbs While Asleep at Home of a Daughter

G. W. Bennett, Jr., aged 70, was found dead in his bed at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Almon, Sunday morning about 8 o'clock when members of the family attempted to awaken him for his breakfast. He apparently died from a heart attack.

Mr. Bennett was born and reared in Nevada county near Union church. His wife died several years ago and since that time he has lived with several of his children.

Besides being survived by several children and other relatives he has one brother, J. F. Bennett of Hope, Route 3, and one sister, Mrs. M. J. Edwards, who is past 90 years of age, and lives near Ansley, La.

Funeral services and burial were conducted Monday morning at 11:30 by Rev. Thomas at Union church.

Texas Town Uprooted by Rain Storm Deluge

BEAUMONT, Texas.—(AP)—A windstorm, accompanied by a deluge of rain, struck Mauriceville late Saturday afternoon, uprooting trees and driving many to shelter, but no property damage or injuries were reported. A brief downpour of hail was reported at the same time at Gist, five miles north of Mauriceville.

Airship Akron to Crowd Blimps to New Quarters

LAKEHURST, N. J.—(AP)—A fleet of small non-rigid airships will have to "move over" when the giant dirigible Akron comes to Lakehurst.

The new airship will share the main hangar with the Los Angeles and crowd the non-rigid to another portion of the field.

A hangar dismantled at Hampton Roads, Va., will be credited for the Akron. It will measure 230 feet long, 112 feet wide and 82 feet high.

Booper Back



Well, if it isn't Helen Kane, whose baby-talk singing makes strong men weak, as she returned on the France from a vacation in Europe, all ready to resume her well known booping and dooping.

Four Die in Chair On Single Murder

Pennsylvania Executes 4 and Sentences 5th to Life Imprisonment

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—(AP)—Frank Powell, Carl Crow and Joseph Frank, died in the electric chair at Rockview penitentiary Monday for a murder committed three years ago. A fifth member of the botlegging gang, convicted of the killing of Louis Hoffman on his father's farm, is serving a life sentence.

It is the second time in the history of the state that four men have been electrocuted for a single murder.

Youth Hurt When Struck By Auto

Allen Goodson Suffers Broken Arm and Severe Bruises

LITTLE ROCK—A hit-and-run driver ran over Allen Goodson, aged 18, 2018 Fayton street, early Sunday night, breaking one arm and severely bruising him.

Police later arrested Will McElroy on a charge of driving a car while drunk and failure to stop after an accident. McElroy was unable to give his address, police said.

Goodson was taken to General Hospital in an R. F. Drummond & Co. ambulance. The accident occurred at Twentyseventh and Lewis streets.

Death of Garland Is Told by Hope Paper

Hope Chronicle of 1899 Also Quote Judge A. H. Carigan on Origin of Word "Bootlegger"—They Had Advertisers Then, Too

A Hope newspaper 32 years ago carries an account of the death of Augustus H. Garland, famous Hempstead county citizen who became attorney general of the United States, after he had been denied them after the Civil War. The Chronicle says: "After the war Mr. Garland undertook to renew his practice in the supreme court, but was not permitted to do so, according to the act of congress passed on June 24, 1865, requiring all attorneys and counselors to take the 'iron clad' oath prescribed by the act of July 2, 1862. Mr. Garland filed a brief in his own behalf in a case he instituted to test the constitutionality of that act, employing as his counsel Reverend Johnson and Matt H. Carpenter. He argued the case himself in a masterly manner, for which he received high credit, and the decision was in his favor. . . . He was elected to the United States senate in 1866, but was not permitted to take his seat. In 1874 Mr. Garland was elected governor of Arkansas. He was elected to the United States senate without opposition in 1876 and was re-elected without opposition, serving until 1885, when President Cleveland appointed him attorney general of the United States, which

Good Local Flavor

Strong is the local flavor of the news columns in this old paper. Mr. Garland, a famous native son of Washington, Ark., had died in Washington, D. C., January 26, 1899, and this was the first issue in which the Chronicle could tell about it, with the story of the actual death on its inside pages, gleaned from reports carried in the daily papers, and a long tribute to the former attorney general printed on the front page.

In addition to his service to state and nation, this issue of the Chron-

Ouster Proposed Against Sibeck Is Upheld By Court

Pulaski County Judge Has Week in Which to Perfect an Appeal

REMOVAL PROBABLE

Prosecutor Bailey to Present Criminal Charges, Forcing Action

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The presentment against County Judge W. F. Sibeck returned by the Pulaski grand jury last week charging incompetency and corruption, was sustained Monday after a hearing before Circuit Judge Marvin Harris, but the order suspending Sibeck from office was deferred.

Judge Harris allowed attorneys for Sibeck a week in which to apply to the state supreme court for a writ prohibiting the suspension.

Prosecutor Bailey, resisting the delay in the ouster proceedings, announced he would file formal charges against the county judge Monday afternoon and would seek early action on a new motion for his suspension.

Judge Harris allowed attorneys for this when he returned to the city Thursday.

If Judge Sibeck is suspended, Governor Parnell will appoint a temporary successor. In the event that the judge resigns or is permanently removed from office, the governor may make a permanent appointment or call a special election.

Appointment Probable

The constitution, according to the Arkansas Gazette, directs the governor to call a special election, but ordinarily he does not follow the provision, and a mandamus cannot be obtained from any court to force him to comply with it.

The Gazette, reporting events in its own county, says:

"Politicians have been active for several weeks seeking the appointment for themselves or for others who are regarded as applicants, reports having been current that the judge would resign. He was advised to relinquish the office voluntarily, but he maintained there was no reason for him to quit."

China Asks Wheat For Flood Areas

Inquiry Is Received at Washington From Nanking Consulate

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The Chinese government laid before the American government Monday an informal inquiry to ascertain the quantity of wheat available on credit terms for the flood-stricken areas in China.

The inquiry was cabled to the state department by the American consulate at Nanking.

The communication did not specify the amount of wheat required. It was referred to the Farm Bureau.

Martial Law Is Put Into Effect Monday Morning

Debt of Gratitude Is Repaid by Arkansans

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—(AP)—The people around Tyrone in Poinsett county Arkansas Friday had repaid a debt of gratitude.

About a year ago the drought reduced the section to want—in the midst of the growing season. Later stories of hunger came from the territory. The Red Cross responded and Poinsett county farmers were helped through the winter. Memphis contributed generously.

In a spirit of gratitude, the Poinsett county farmers Thursday sent eight truck loads of vegetables and food to Memphis hospitals, to be used in the charity wards.

Bumper crops are reported this year in Poinsett county.

Divorce Filed By Dempsey Monday

Former World Champion Starts Action Against Estelle Taylor

RENO, Nevada.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey filed suit for divorce Monday from his actress wife, Estelle Taylor, charging mental cruelty.

Robert E. Burns, attorney for the former heavyweight boxing champion, said he did not know whether Miss Taylor would contest the action. The Dempseys were married in California in 1925 when Jack was world's champion, and she was a motion picture star.

Acre Yield Cotton Highest Since 1914

Estimate of 185.8 Pounds Largest in Nearly Two Decades

MEMPHIS.—(U. S. Department Agriculture).—The cotton market during the period August 8th to 14th witnessed wide price changes with quotations August 14th about 1c per pound lower than those of August 7. Demand both domestic and foreign for spot cotton was poor to fair with volume of transactions limited. At the decline it was said that some business was put through for fall deliveries.

Average price middling 7-8 inch at ten markets August 14th 6.33c, compared with 7.30c August 7th and 10.97c on corresponding day year ago. The movement of new crop cotton is not as free as it was at this time year ago. Reported sales of spot cotton in the ten markets for past week amounted to 20,792 bales compared with \$2,212 for like week last year.

Total sales spot cotton at the ten designated markets as reported for the season 1930-31 amounted to 4,800,000 bales compared with 5,000,000 and 6,100,000 for two previous seasons respectively. According to Weather Bureau the week ending August 11, except for too much moisture in some local areas principally in central states, the weather continued mostly favorable and progress of cotton as a general rule was satisfactory.

The crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture estimates the 1931 cotton crop, based on conditions of August 1st, at 15,600,000 five hundred pound gross weight bales compared with 13,900,000 for 1930.

The indicated yield per acre of 185.8 pounds is higher than the yield seen in any year since 1914, when 209.2 pounds were produced and is slightly higher than that actually made in 1926, the last year in which conditions were uniformly good over practically all of the cotton belt.

While acreage in cultivation on July 1, 1931, was 10 per cent less than on July 1, 1930, the 1931 acreage is practically as large as in 1927 and much larger than 1923, or any preceding year.

According to the New York Cotton Exchange Service the supply of American cotton in the world on July 31 was estimated at about 9,000,000 bales, and according to the New Orleans Cotton Exchange 8,700,000. Official estimates covering similar data are not available now.

Fliers Die as Plane Crashes During Tests

DEKALB, Ill.—(AP)—Al Glassburn and Joseph Kaiser, both of Dixon, Ill., were fatally injured Sunday when a monoplane they were testing went into a tailspin at 1000 feet and crashed at the DuKalb country airport nine miles north of here.

Situation Kept In Hand at Kilgore By 800 Guardsmen

Two Regiments Established Headquarters There on Governor's Orders

LIKE ALFALFA BILL

Texas Executive Listens to Petitions That He Follow Oklahoma's Lead

AUSTIN, Texas.—(AP)—Gov. Ross Sterling declared martial law in the East Texas oil fields at 10 o'clock Monday morning and ordered all producing wells shut down.

The governor acted to prevent a pletion of the mineral resources of the vast field, while the State Oil and Mineral Commission was putting into action the oil conservation measures passed last week by the Texas legislature. It will take the commission a week or two to make its regulations effective.

Four Counties Affected

The military zone, including four counties, Rusk, Gregg, Smith and Sherman.

Texas National Guardsmen have already mobilized at Kilgore and have gone into the oil fields.

Col. L. S. Davidson, of Dallas, commanding the 12th regiment of the brigade, and Col. Lawrence McGee, also of Dallas, of the 12th regiment, have established headquarters at Kilgore.

Approximately 800 guardsmen are on duty.

Follows "Alfalfa Bill"

Governor Sterling's action was preceded by widely-circulated petitions of East Texas citizen urging him to adopt the policy of Gov. W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, who shut down the Oklahoma fields in an attempt to force the price of crude oil to 41¢ a barrel, alleging that depletion of oil reserves at panic prices constituted a serious loss to the state both in natural resources and the taxation proceeds due the public school system.

Governor Sterling was only partly successful in obtaining emergency action at a special session of the Texas legislature last week, and his declaration of martial law had been anticipated to make up the deficiency in regular procedure.

Protests Reasons of Clemency Denied

Daughter of Convicted Oil Man Seeks More Reasonable Excuse

THREE RIVERS, N. W.—(AP)—Protesting against reasons given for refusal of clemency for Albert B. Fall, former cabinet member now in the New Mexico state prison, Mrs. C. C. Chase, his daughter, Saturday wired Attorney General W. D. Mitchell asking issue with his explanation of the pigeon holding of petitions sent to Washington by friends of Fall in New Mexico.

Mrs. Chase referred to a report that Attorney General Mitchell filed away and two prosecutors had failed to recommend a pardon or alteration of sentence. This course was reported to have been taken under an executive order providing for such action save in exceptional cases.

"May I ask, Mr. Attorney General," the telegram read, "has there ever come under your observation, or the observation of any of your predecessors, a more exceptional case than the case in question, where a man has been convicted of receiving a bribe from a man who has since been acquitted of having given that bribe, or of a man in such physical condition that several of the most distinguished physicians in the United States, most of whom were appointed by the government, have stated on oath that he was unfit to be imprisoned, and the government having prodded no physician who would say that he was able to serve the sentence imposed?"

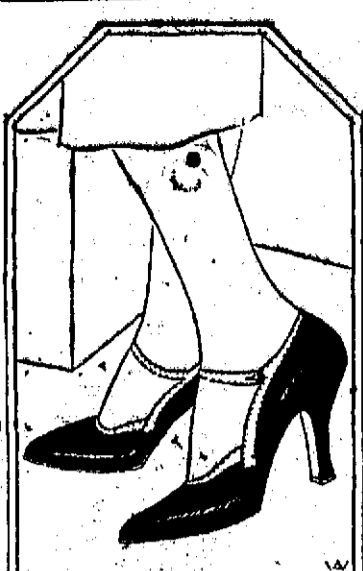
"We have asked nothing and expect nothing, but surely the public is entitled to a more reasonable excuse. Fall is serving a sentence of a year and a day on his conviction of accepting a bribe from E. L. Ramey, oil man, in connection with leasing a naval oil reserve."

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The clouds but cover the sunshine—
They cannot blanch the sun—
And the earth shines out the brighter
When the dreary rain is done.
We must stand in the deepest sorrow
To see the clearest light,
And often from wrong's own dark-
ness
Comes the very strength of light.
We must live through the weary win-
ter
If we could value the spring,
And the woods must be cold and silent
Before the robins sing.
So, the heart from the hardest trail
Gains the purest joy of all,
And from lips that have tasted sadness
The sweetest songs will fall.
For, as peace comes out of suffering
And love is the reward of pain,
So after earth comes Heaven
And out of our loss the gain.
—Selected.



Mrs. Mattie Greer of Lewisville and Mrs. J. B. Shults and Miss Nannie Jett of Fulton, visited with friends in this city on Sunday.

Little Misses Frances and Carolyn Carter left Monday for their home in Pine Bluff, after a two week's visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sullivan.

Miss Margaret Briggs, who has spent the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Briggs, left Sunday on the Texan for St. Louis, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. W. L. Patterson, before re-entering Evanston Academy of Fine Arts, at Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Mary L. Carter returned Friday from a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Quinn in Pine Bluff.

Captain Mack Duffie has returned from Little Rock where he attended the annual encampment of the A. N. G.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Young, Mrs. Roy C. Wood and Miss Marguerite Taylor were Sunday visitors in Hot Springs.

Dick Foster spent the week-end visiting with relatives in Corcoran, Tex.

Ed Linthicum and Miss Jane Linthicum of Ada, Okla., arrived Monday for a visit with their aunt, Mrs. L. W. Young and Mr. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Frip Hill have returned from an extended stay in Shreveport, where Mr. Hill underwent a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Buchanan and son, Mark, have returned from a week's vacation in Galveston, Houston and other Texas points.

Misses Ruby and Minnie Owens are spending the week visiting with friends in Stamps.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gosnell have returned from a motor trip to New York City and other points of interest in the East.

THE SMARTLY shod woman wears this black kid sandal, set off by white kid trim and strap, to go with the new black and white ensembles of light skirt and dark coat, or vice versa.

Mrs. Terrell Cornelius will entertain the members of the Tuesday Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon at her home on South Pine street.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Chandler will spend this week visiting with friends and relatives in Paris, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rising and little daughter are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon McLarty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harbin and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Turner of Paragould visited Hot Springs, Sunday.

Russell Farley of Shreveport was the Sunday guest of his aunt Mrs. P. A. Tharp.

Mrs. C. C. McNeill and little daughter, Peggy have returned from a five weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Tex.

Miss Mary Bell Marshall of Texarkana was the week end guest of her aunt Miss Maggie Bell.

Miss Catherine Briant, who has spent the past month visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ulmer Hester and Mr. Hester in Union, Miss., arrived home Saturday.

Miss Phila Tharp, after a summer vacation visit with her grandmother, Mrs. P. A. Tharp and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. White, left Sunday night for her home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. J. D. Barlow has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Thos. C. McRae and other relatives in Prescott.

Much to the regret of their many friends in this city, Mr. and Mrs. M. Smyth left Monday for their new home in Texarkana.

Mrs. H. C. Whitworth has returned to her home in this city, after a week's stay in the Missouri Pacific hospital in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Tully Henry spent Sunday visiting in Shreveport.

Mrs. Van Manning of Little Rock arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Shipp and other relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Hollis left Sunday for a visit with friends in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Bennie Shipp has returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Little Rock.

The wedding of Miss Lucille Blackwell and G. A. Hobbs was solemnized at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Blackwell in Linden, Texas, with Rev. J. N. Pressive double ring ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Y. D. Spell of Beaumont, Tex., and J. N. Hobbs of Gilmore, Tex., served his brother as best man. Mrs. Hobbs has for the past few years been in

Mom'n Pop

FIRST THE NEWLYWEDS.
BUDGET PROVIDED FUNDS FOR VACATION TOGS.
JUST PAY ME THE \$20 IT COST TO HAVE THE ANTIQUE DONE OVER AND WE'LL CALL IT SQUARE.
AND TWENTY BUCKS MAKES A WEEK OF ANY NEWLYWEDS BANK-ROLL.
BUT WE CAN'T GO ON A VACATION TRIP WITHOUT BATHING SUITS AND SPORTY CLOTHES AND BEACH TOGS!!

OUT OUR WAY

YAS SUH, SHO NUFF, DAT DOCKIT GOT A HOLE IN HIT.
I THOT TH HOMBRE, WHO COULD STAND ON A DIME AN TELL IF IT WAS HEADS ER TAILS, HAD FAIRLY THIN SOLES, TILL I MET BIG ICK ON TH' STREET ONCE, AN ASKED FER TH' LOAN OF A DIME, AN HE REACHED IN HIS POCKET AN' PULLED OUT A MAN HOLE. COVER HE WAS STANNIN ON.
A GROUND CONNECTION
J.R. WILLIAMS
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the accounting department of the Willys-Overland Co., in Texarkana and Mr. Hobbs is the popular manager of the A. & P. store in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs have taken an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. G. McRae, St., on Edgewood Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Warren had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Warren, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Apple of Hot Springs.

Miss Rosa May Deatherage of Hugo, Okla., is the guest of Miss Margaret Kinser.

The B. & P. W. club will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the American Legion Golf Course, with Mrs. B. R. Hann as hostess.

Miss Deane Rogers of Dierks is the guest of Miss Pauline Mitchell. Mrs. J. R. Wilson, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ross R. Gillespie and Mr. Gillespie for the past two weeks has returned to her home in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Duckett, Mrs. Minnie Galster, Miss Van Galster, Mrs. W. F. Sauer, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Henry, Misses Mae and Lill Jamison, Miss Florence Risdon and Miss Mary Bell Marshall of Texarkana motored to the beautiful country home of Mrs. W. W. Johnson near Nashville on Sunday afternoon, where they enjoyed a most delightful picnic supper. Mrs. Johnson was assisted in entertaining her guests by her sisters Mrs. Ada Swicegood and Miss Naomi Falls. Other guests enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson and sons Jimmie and Andrew of Nashville.

Miss Lorraine Clifton spent Sunday in Stamps visiting with her nephew Percy Clifton.

Personal Mention

Mrs. J. A. Johnson returned from El Dorado where she has spent several days visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Woods. The Woods family came to Hope with Mrs. Johnson and will remain for a few days visit.

Piles All Gone

Without Salves or Cutting piles go quickly and don't come back, if you remove the hemorrhoidal veins causes piles by making the affected parts weak, flabby, almost dead. Salves and cutting fail because only an internal medicine can actually correct these conditions. Dr. J. S. Leonard discovered a real internal Pile remedy. After prescribing it for 1,000 patients with success in 960 cases, he named it HEM-ROID. Ward & Son say one bottle of HEM-ROID Tablets must end your Pile misery or money back.

Mrs. Ralph Routon To Present Pupils

Miss Harriett Story and Elton Carpenter to Appear in Recital

Mrs. Ralph Routon, will present in recital, her pupil Miss Harriett Story, pianist, assisted by Elton Carpenter, baritone, at her residence, 120 North Pine street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend this presentation and the following program will be rendered: Marche Slav; Tchaikovsky—Harriett Story, Mrs. Ralph Routon.

(a) The Butterfly; Lavalle, (b) Prelude (Raindrop); Chopin, (c) Hopak; Missoungsky—Harriett Story. (a) Coro Mio Ben; Luzzi, (b) The Two Grenadiers; Schumann—Elton Carpenter.

(a) Melody for left hand alone; Porter, (b) Sons Bois; Staub—Harriett Story. (a) Nobody knows the Trouble I've Seen; Burleigh, (b) Tallo-Ho, (c) The Trumpeter—Elton Carpenter. Midsummer Night Dream; Mendelssohn—Harriett Story, Mrs. Ralph Routon. Valse Chromatique; Godard—Harriett Story.

Saenger Theatre Last Times Monday

"Daddy Long Legs" with Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter. Taken from the famous story by that name this picture is even better than the stage play. Critics have given it three star rating in Liberty and newspapers everywhere have lauded this great picture to the heavens. It is great entertainment for the family. The Saenger endorses it to you as a picture you should not miss.

Tuesday--Wednesday

A gay ritzy love comedy with two great stars. You are sure to like "Don't Bet on Women" with Edmund Lowe and Jeanette MacDonald. And on Tuesday a bargain event. A Ten Cent Sale—Two admitted for 50c.

Thursday--Friday

Another great picture, "Forbidden Adventure," with Mitzi Green, Edna Mae Oliver, Jackie Searl and Louise Fazenda. Probably the best kid picture of the season. This play will carry you from laugh to laugh in a manner that will cause you to forget every trial and tribulation you may have ever had. Also Charley Chase in a good Comedy.

Saturday Only

Wally Wales with Buzz Barton in "Riders of the Cactus," a Western

Things as They Stand

BY AUNT HANNAH
USED THEIR DARK CLOUD WITH SILVER BY A GOLDEN PROMISE.
I'LL GIVE YOU MONEY FOR YOUR VACATION TRIP, AS A WEDDING PRESENT.
GEE! YOU'RE THE GUY IN OUR CASE, AUNT HANNAH!
FOOTER: THE ANTIQUE CAME TUMBLING DOWN LIKE A WALL STREET CRASH. YET THEY REALIZED AUNT HANNAH'S IDEA THAT UNUSUAL COULD BE RAISED ON A FIVE BUCK BILL.

By Williams

NOTICE!
Since I will be out of town for a few days, I respectfully ask my patrons to call early for appointments, if they wish beauty treatment before I leave.
MARINELLO BEAUTY SHOP
Mrs. B. C. Lewis
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Apostolic Revival Will Be Continued

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An Apostolic revival which has been in progress for some time at the Hopewell school, a mile north of town and was scheduled to close last Sunday night, will be continued throughout this week according to Rev. E. L. Moore, who is in charge of the meeting. Dr. A. H. Beiser of Los Angeles, Calif., will do the preaching for the remainder of the revival. It is estimated that 2000 persons attended the services Sunday night. There are two services daily at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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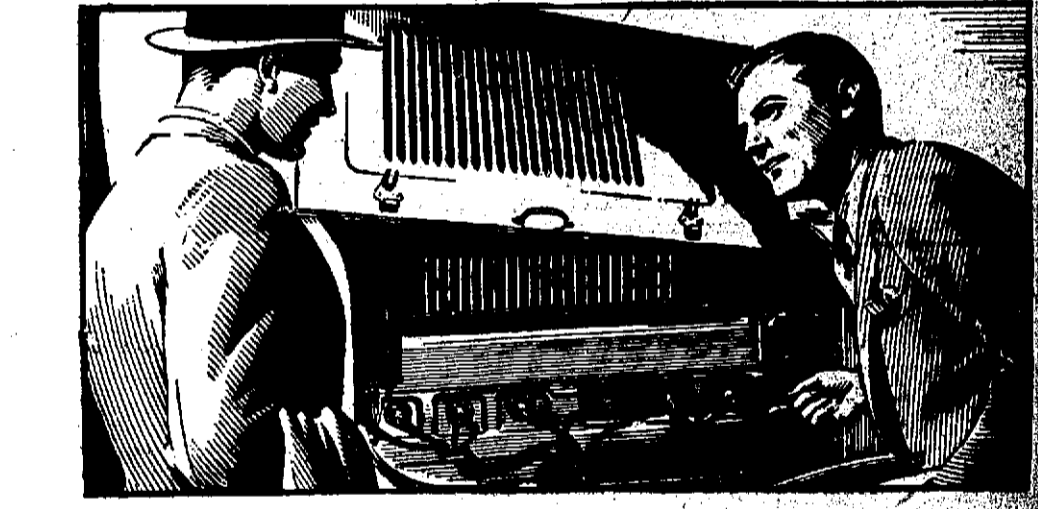
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Heart of Liane

by MABEL McELLIOTT
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SERIES IN PROGRESS

"I'm sorry for what happened last night, I am, honestly. You were decent to me, saying my fault was my own, and it was no way to repay, making a scene. Perhaps I'll not see you again. This is to say I wish you well."

Clive said, "She'd missed up her affairs and I straightened some of them out. I'm sorry for her. She was brought up to think money grew on hedges. Now she knows better."

Liane, in the curve of his arm, sighed a little. "I'm sorry for her, too. Sorry for anyone who isn't as happy as I am."

He asked, "Do you mean that?" and kissed her without waiting for an answer.

Together they went down to breakfast. The coffee was pure nectar that morning. No one had ever been so much in love before, they thought. Their talk was a melody of "when did you first begin to care?" and "why did you behave so at that time?" Tiresome talk for anyone except lovers.

"Must you go?" Liane pouted when at last the meal had ended. Clive sat on the arm of her chair. He frowned. "I must. There's a bit of business positively has to be settled this morning but I needn't leave you behind. You can drive in with me."

"They sat gazing blissfully at each other, transfixed by the brilliancy of this idea. 'You're not going to leave me ever,' murmured Clive, his lips against her hair."

"How soon can you be ready?" he asked as they drove.

"Whatever for?" Her hand locked in his big one. She was dreamily, utterly content.

"To leave for that honeymoon of ours."

She gave him a tap look. "Today. Tomorrow. Whenever you say."

He laughed at her. "What a wife! I shall boast of you. You didn't even say, 'I've nothing to wear.'"

"Ah, but I have. Frocks you've looked at but have never really seen."

He was delighted at her half-shy, half-bold coquetry. "You think I haven't seen them? I probably know every one down to the last bit of lace."

He said soberly after a bit, "There's something I've been wanting to ask you about. I hadn't dared, before—"

Fearfully she asked, "What can it be?"

"It's about the estate. The Robard estate."

She stiffened as if at a distasteful subject. "That can't concern me."

"Ah, but it does. Winton Holbrick who is the executor knows the facts. You are the only logical claimant. It's not a fabulous amount but you have a right to it."

She said with set lips, "But suppose I don't want it? I don't want to touch a penny of my father's money. It might have saved my own mother's life. Her eyes filled."

"I know," Clive argued. "But wouldn't it be a grand notion to accept it, settle it on Cass?"

She straightened. "It might. I hadn't thought of that."

Clive explained the procedure she would need to go through to make her claim. Several papers must be filed out. Her birth certificate, the marriage lines which were in Cass's hands.

"How much," she suddenly asked, "did you mean it was? Not a fabulous amount you said?"

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She promised to drive back for him at four o'clock. "May I tell mother about the inheritance? Is it as certain as that?"

"Of course."

She watched him out of sight. Four o'clock seemed worlds away.

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Cards Split Two With the Giants

Babe Ruth Gets 33d Homer and Leads Both Major Circuits Again

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BRUSHING UP SPORTS

By Laufer

BEN EASTMAN



A COMPARISON

ON THE DAY OF THE 1931 KENTUCKY DERBY, THE COUNTRY'S TWO LEADING 440-YARD RUNNERS, VIC WILLIAMS AND BEN EASTMAN, RAN A RACE AT THE LOS ANGELES COUSEUM. EASTMAN OF STANFORD WON IN 1:47 3/4 SECONDS. AT THE SAME TIME THE HORSE "TWEENTY GRAND" BEAT THE BEST 3-YEAR-OLDS IN AMERICA, RUNNING THE HALF MILE (JUST TWICE THE 440 YD. DISTANCE) IN THE IDENTICAL TIME OF 1:47 3/4 SECONDS...

SUGGESTED BY DON ROBERTS, SPORTS EDITOR - LOS ANGELES RECORD.

THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING

ALTHOUGH THEY MAY DO SO THIS YEAR, THE DETROIT TIGERS HAVE NEVER FINISHED LAST IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE... RARE...

Plane Building in 1931 Shows But Small Decline

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Producing 1,606 airplanes in the first half of 1931, American manufacturers fell but 78 units below the mark set in the same period in 1930.

Civil aviation had the greatest appeal, 1,069 airplanes being built for this field, including 750 monoplanes, 277 biplanes, 40 autogiros, and two helicopters.

Simmons says that the only reason he doesn't "punch the snout off Marberry" is that with himself suspended, the chances of the Athletics to win the pennant might be considerably curtailed.

Quite true. The pennant chances of the Athletics, very though they seem, also might be curtailed with Simmons in the hospital.

This department picks Marberry.

Text: Behave Yourself

HARRY RICE started his major league career with the St. Louis Browns. He was traded to Detroit. Detroit sent him to the Yankees. The Yankees sent him to Washington. Washington sent him to Baltimore.

Rice is a good ball player. He won a number of ball games for the Senators. On two occasions he personally defeated the Athletics by hair-raising fielding plays. His hitting, though only .264, has been timely.

Why, then was he sent to Baltimore?

Oh, Well!

LAST spring a lengthy statement on reformed athletic plans was issued by Thomas S. Gates, president of the University of Pennsylvania. Among other things about football it was said that "spring and pre-season fall practice will be eliminated, the alleged benefits thereof being large realized through

between-season physical educational courses, given by members of the physical education staff to those not engaged in other sports, for tapering off and conditioning purposes in connection with which certain fundamental exercises, particularly applicable to football, will be taught."

The other day, Dr. Leroy Mercer, the new dean of sports at Penn. announced that Penn football candidates will be sent to a training camp in the mountains near Stroudsburg for two weeks of preliminary training.

History must be right, after all. In its teaching that great changes take place slowly.

Athens, Greece, is the goal of a projected non-stop flight of Capt. Frank C. Crowley, above, former army and air mail pilot. He plans to take off soon from Boston, and has asked Lee Gelbach, winner of the American Air Derby last year, to be his co-pilot.

that on several occasions recently the sheriff had walked in his sleep and, upon awakening, had found his pistol in his hand. He